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speech, is not covered by this rule. As pointed out by the Minister for Industries, Sri Venkataraman, intervention or interpellation ordinarily takes place in a debate to a certain extent. Whether such interruptions may spoil the speech is quite a different matter and the Hon. Speaker will take care of that, not to allow too many
2-30 p.m. interruptions and unnecessary interruptions. Here, for putting a specific question for the purpose of getting elucidation, the provision is made. Till now the rule as it stood was : " It should be put through the Speaker ". After all it is not necessary for the Member to state the question and again for the Speaker to put it. Therefore, it is enough if the Member gets the permission of the Speaker. Again permission means, allowing the question itself is permission.

Therefore, in accordance with the practice prevailing here, we have amended the rule. That is all. Therefore, the present practice of interrupting or interjecting is not to be denied. But for the purpose of putting a question for the purpose of getting elucidation, it should be on a specific point and it should be in the form of a question so that it can be put to the speaking Member to answer it. I do not think there is any point made out either by the hon. Member Sri Lazar or the supporting Member Sri Vinayakam.

MR. SPEAKER : The question is—

" That Rule 64 as amended be passed ".

The motion was put and carried.

Rule 92 as amended was put and carried.

IV. ANNOUNCEMENTS RE (*cont.*)

(6) MEETING OF THE BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

MR. SPEAKER : I want to make an announcement. I am glad the Hon. Finance Minister brought it to my notice. I have called for a meeting of the Business Advisory Committee at 4 o'clock. But it is likely that the House may finish its business before that. Therefore, the Business Advisory Committee will meet at 4 o'clock or after the business of the House is over.

VII.—REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE MADRAS ASSEMBLY RULES—(*cont.*)

Rules 154 and 158 as amended were put and carried.

***Rule* 163.**

MR. SPEAKER : The motion is—

' That Rule 163 as amended be passed '.